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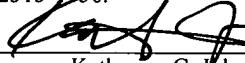
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Itemization of Deficiency Payment

Type of Fee Paid	Date of Payment of Small Entity Fee	Small Entity Fee Paid	Current Fee Amount for Non-Small Entity	Deficiency Owed
4 th Year Maintenance Fee	October 20, 2008	\$490	\$980	\$490
Late surcharge	n/a	n/a	\$130	\$130
Total Deficiency Owed:				\$620.00

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